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German Democratic Republic

IRON FREIGHT CAR SHORTAGE

a report of the Key Projects Department of the State Administration of Water  
Requirement

calls to the attention of the responsible  
bodies, namely the Reichsbahn, the Ministry of Agricultural and Transport Machinery, and the  
Ministry of Heavy Machine Building, the shortage of tank cars which are needed at the Sulfuric  
Acid Plant in Wolfen for the transportation of sulfuric acid produced from gypsum, and  
must transports. notes that the Reichsbahn cannot make any more tank cars  
available for use by the Wolfen Sulfuric Acid Plant. The plant is dependent on newly constructed  
locomotive and Car Plant Hiesky. This plant too, is experiencing material  
shortages and gives some figures regarding this point. demands  
because of the extreme importance of the sulfuric acid production the material needed by  
tank and car builders to be supplied immediately.

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